REMARKS

The Examiner's Quayle Action November 5, 2003 has been received and its contents reviewed. Applicants would like to thank the Examiner for the consideration given to the above-identified application and for indicating the allowance of claims 1, 3-9, 11-17, 27-44, 81, 82, 84, and 85.

By the above actions, claims 18-26 and 83, which were withdrawn from consideration as being drawn to a non-elected species, have been cancelled. Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application to claim the subject matter disclosed in the cancelled claims in the future, as necessary.

In view of the actions above, reconsideration of this application is now requested.

While the present application is believed to be in condition for allowance, should the Examiner find some issue to remain unresolved, or should any new issues arise, which could be eliminated through discussions with Applicant's representative, then the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone in order that the further prosecution of this application can thereby by expedited.

Respectfully submitted,

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